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H A R N E S S

New Circus Laws

State Revenue Collector Isaac W. Bowers received Monday the copy of the bill regarding circuses, moving picture shows and amusement parks. Under the present law the circuses cannot show twice in one year in Delaware under one license. Years ago a circus would show here on May 25 and again on May 24 of the same year under the same license.

Under the new law the circus license is \$300 and covers a period of only three months. Moving picture shows in the State are taxed \$100 and amusement parks will have to pay \$500, which will cover the several kinds of entertainments appearing there.

There is a clause in the circus license providing for a lesser fee if the exhibition is given at a point more than two miles from Wilmington.

After July 1st, 1911, rural mail carriers will receive \$1,000 per year for routes of 24 miles or more and a proportionate increase for routes of less length. Furthermore there will be no danger of consolidation of rural delivery and star route services during the next fiscal year. When the routes were first started the pay was \$600 per year and at present \$900.

Can't Remove Shade Trees

The injunction laid by J. Frank Turner and John W. D. Jamp against the mayor and town council of Easton, Md., to prevent them from making the grade and laying curbs on Goldsborough street, whereby shade trees in front of their residences would be destroyed, which has been pending in the Circuit Court for over a year, was decided by a full bench, consisting of Chief Judge Pearce and Judges Adkins and Hopper. The opinion was written by Judge Pearce. The decision prevents officials of a city or town from removing shade trees on the streets without first obtaining the consent of the owner of the property before which they stand. The case will doubtless be taken to the Court of Appeals.

Peach Crop Injured

Surry, Va., April 22.—According to statements made by a number of Delaware's fruit and berry growers today, there will be a scanty crop of peaches this season. This is due to the prolonged seasons of frost and cold weather. Other fruits are in a promising condition, but will not be as large as last year. One of Delaware's most prominent agriculturists declared that upon examining peach orchards in various parts of the State he found few blossoms on the trees and discovered that the crop would be very small.

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Ladies' Soles and Heels 65¢

M. DECKTER
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

OF—

St. Georges Hundred!

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax on real property are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1910 are due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be a

A. G. COX'S OFFICE, MIDDLETOWN SATURDAY, April 29th, 1911, From 1 to 3 P. M.

MASSEY'S HOTEL, IN ODESSA, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19th, 1911, From 1 to 3 P. M.

AT R. S. CARPENTER'S IN POPE'S PENN, STORE, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19th, 1911, From 1 to 3 P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 80, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED.

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of January there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January five cents deducted from the amount due in the central court thereof shall be added thereto.

ALEXANDER MAXWELL,
MICHAEL CARROLL.

Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred.

Middletown, Del., March 27th, 1911.

PARTNERSHIP DISLOVED

The partnership heretofore existing between Alexander Maxwell and Michael Carroll, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Alexander Maxwell, who is a solicitor and attorney at law. All persons indebted to the firm are requested to settle same at once.

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NEWS OF THE PENINSULA

The minutes of the last session of the Wilmington Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, which was held in Ashbury, M. E. Church, have been printed and copied and are being distributed to the subscribers.

While Coverdale Reynolds of Bridgeville was plowing up new ground on his farm, the skeleton of a man rolled from beneath his plow. It is supposed to be the remains of Daniel Clark, known as "Rambling Dan," who disappeared a few years ago.

Due to failure of state road construction in Cecil county this year, caused by lack of funds, the crusher in the quarry near Rising Sun, supplying the stone will be disbanded and removed to southern Maryland for use on the Washington-Baltimore boulevard.

With the exception of the 4000 foot shaft from Harrington to Farmington and the double draw which is being built over Broad Creek at Laurel, the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania Railroad will be practically double-tracked from Wilmington to Delmar.

There is a rumor that the Delaware and Maryland Public Schools of Delmar will consolidate and make a graded school equal to the best in Delaware. The Sussex County School Commission, composed of Charles L. Moore, Everett Hickman and Superintendent Hardesty visited the Delaware school last week.

George Gibson, a young negro man of Fredericktown, who was lodged in the Elton jail the first of the winter because he was deemed dangerous to be at large, died at the jail last week. Coroner Frazer, as required by law held an inquest, and a verdict of death from a convolution while suffering epileptic mania, was rendered.

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Leaving Milton a few days ago to seek his fortune in New York, Willis Johnson, 17 years old, was brought back to his home this week a corpse from suicide.

The youth was working in a New York hotel but brooded over his inability to get any better position. He asphyxiated himself with a rubber tube leading from the gas jet to his mouth.

The Presbytery of New Castle held its spring meeting in Snow Hill on Tuesday and Wednesday. While the Presbytery is not a large body, it is a very influential one. The Presbytery of New Castle comprises the churches of the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Delaware, numbering about 60. As a rule each church is represented by the pastor and elder. It is estimated that about 75 attended this meeting of Presbytery.

Rev. Albert Price, pastor of St. Paul's U. A. M. E. Church, Wilmington, who is also interested in the welfare of the colored people of that city, has announced that his people expect to become very active in urging that Earl Hugo Brown and James Sharp, the 16 and 17-year-old colored boys under sentence to be hanged on May 19th for the murder of John Roberts, a white boy, at Georgetown, may be given life imprisonment instead of being executed.

While loading lumber about a month ago, William L. Marvel, of Seaford, stuck an ax into his thumb. The accident happened on Friday, and Sunday afternoon the pain was so excruciating that a doctor was summoned and found that lockjaw had developed. Everything was done to relieve Marvel, but without avail, he having convulsions every minute for 36 hours. He is 71 years old, and was kept alive for the 26 days only by hypodermic injections of morphine, and no nourishment whatever could be taken. Marvel is now well and hearty and able to be out and do the work of a man in the prime of life.

Unknown to his mother, Lancy Boyce, of Seaford, and Arnold Greenbaum, have been building an airship in the large storage warehouse of Greenbaum Brothers, and not until Mrs. Boyce read in a local paper that the ship was nearing completion and that a trial trip would be made in a few days, did she know where her son was passing his time. Seizing an ax she told him she was going to smash the thing into pieces and started to accomplish her purpose, but her son took a short cut across town, reaching the warehouse a few minutes before his mother and barbecued the building.

Standing in a crowd of men who were attending a sale of horses in a stable near Eighth and Tatnall streets on Saturday ex-Coroner Thomas Gaynor lost his wallet which contained \$100. Whether it dropped from his pocket by accident or whether it was stolen by some pickpocket is not known but Mr. Gaynor inclines to the belief that a thief secured his money.

Union Hospital, Elkton, which was established by hard and sustained work on the part of its projectors and the hearty co-operation of the people of the county, along with liberal support from the State and county treasuries, has received a generous endowment from the late Benjamin F. Chambers, formerly of the Second district, who died on April 14, at Trenton, N. J.

By appointment, a delegation representing the several towns south of Georgetown, waited on General Passenger Traffic Manager J. R. Wood, of the Pennsylvania R. R., in his office at Broad Street Station. The delegation presented petitions signed by several hundred patrons of the D. M. & V. Branch of the road requesting additional passenger service, and consisted of Joseph H. Bowley, Chincoteague; J. T. Sharpley, Franklin City; representing the towns in Virginia; George L. Barnes, Girdletree; Wm. D. Corddry, Jr., and Wm. C. Powell, Snow Hill; representing the towns in Maryland; Charles Moore, Georgetown; Littleton Bishop, Dagobrigg; representing the towns in Delaware.

Mr. Ober, who is a well known and highly respected citizen of Seaford, was a veteran of the civil war, having enlisted in the Delaware regiment at the outbreak. He participated in many hard-fought battles and lost his left leg at the siege of Vicksburg. His funeral was held in the Methodist Protestant Church to-day, attended by the G. A. R. Union and a number of fraternal organizations. Interment was made in Odd Fellows cemetery.

Looked For Death
SEAFORD, Del., April 24.—That Jacob Perry Ober, aged 75, who died suddenly at his home here on Saturday afternoon had a premonition of his death, is evidenced by the fact that on Saturday morning he summoned a conveyance to his home and in the presence of his family had his will drawn up bequeathing his money and personal property entirely to his immediate family. His wife and children were alarmed at his action, but asked no questions nor did he tell them his motive for having the document drawn.

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USEFUL THINGS TO KNOW

Hemstitched tablecloths and napkins can be nicely mended when the hemstitching breaks by fastening the edges together with strong thread. This will wear as long as the article.

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BOMBS DAMAGE LABOR MOST
Labor not only but should organize for its own protection; for without the most effective union and organization the might and greed of Capital would again reduce the laborer to the original condition of sheer slavery out of which only after long centuries of sweat and blood has he been able to emancipate himself. For its own protection against the usurpations of capital; for the maintenance to the fullest extent of every one of its rights, and for its general good, Labor may of right use the strike, the ballot, and every other legitimate weapon; but the country will not for an instant tolerate the employment of the dynamiter's bomb as an argument in the contention. Its use defiles so noble a cause!

In that awful act of wholesale crime, the blowing up of *The Times* building in Los Angeles, 21 innocent lives were sacrificed, and a valuable newspaper plant ruined. In these recent conflicts between union and non-union labor, 112 workingmen and women have been killed, and property to the enormous total of \$8,500,000 destroyed—in every case by the despicable means of dynamite and nitroglycerine explosives.

These outrages, if unfortunately they be brought home to labor unions, will not only alienate the support and sympathy of the public for the cause of Labor, but will deservedly put their authors quite outside the pale of civilization as enemies of mankind to be hunted down like the wild beasts they have shown themselves.

God forbid it shall be proven that organized Labor in the slightest degree was a party to, or even aware of these brutal, cowardly, wholesale assassinations.

It would turn back the hands on the dial of progress of robbed and suffering Labor a full century! Strike a blow to that worthy cause more cruel, more damaging than remorseless Capital could effect with all its money and power.

From out the most searching examination may the skirts of Labor emerge as clean and unsmirched as behoves so great and glorious a cause as hers.

A CAD AT ANNAPOLIS
Nothing quite so disgraceful has ever before occurred in either the Army or Navy as this snobbish affair at the Annapolis Naval Academy.

Captain J. M. Boyer and the rest of the vulgar cads concerned in this disgusting un-American piece of snobbery ought to be at once removed from all official relation to the Academy, if not indeed incontinently cashiered and kicked out of the service.

Any lickspittle flunkie like Captain Boyer and his set who would reprimand a middy because he escorted to a dance a governess who "worked for a living" is grossly unfit to associate with American gentlemen, far less to shape and mould their manners! Such cadish sentiments are better fitted for the meridian of London or Berlin than that of Annapolis, America.

It is, however, gratifying to know that the young cadets themselves repudiate this contemptible action of their superior officers, who, if the truth were known, are probably themselves of dung-hill origin. Such asinine airs are only assumed by vulgar upstarts conscious of their own low breeding; they are not to be tolerated for one moment in this land where "a man's a man for a' that and a' that," and woman is deferentially honored and most especially when she is a working woman.

This cheap vulgarian Captain Boyer, by his unmanly act has indeed proved the truth of Burns' lines:

"The rank is but the guinea's stamp,
The man's the gowd for a' that."

A CORRECTION
With the perverse ingenuity which his tribe so often displays, the typewriter managed to damage the very pith of our editorial last week by making us absurdly and "why should not the newspaper men of this Peninsula write for the promotion of their general good?" We wrote "unite for the promotion of their general good."

And we again ask the brethren to give us their views, as a few already have, on this vital question of uniting for our protection and profit.

ODESSA

Mrs. Louise Brooks, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Kate Stidham this week.

Mrs. John West and daughter, Blanche are spending a few days this week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Massey was a Wilmington visitor part of this week.

Mr. Lee Heller spent part of last week with friend in Glassboro, N. J.

Mr. Elwood Dulin, Jr., visited Wilmington relatives last Friday.

Mr. Leonard Rhoades, of Newark, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rhoades, Friday last.

Mrs. Malcolm Groft entertained her mother, Mrs. Emily McClellan, of Chester, Pa., several days last week.

Mr. Samuel Krigstein, of Philadelphia, spent several days last week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sacks.

Miss Martha Stevens, of Wilmington, visited friends in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greenminger entertained his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Coll and daughter, Jeanette, of Chester, Pa., part of this week.

Rev. Mr. Laurie is spending two weeks with his family at Middletown, N. J.

Mr. John Heldmeyer attended the wedding of his niece, Miss Katie Krumm in Philadelphia last week.

At a meeting of St. Paul's M. E. Sunday School Association, Miss Emma Eccles was elected a delegate and Mrs. A. Lee Orell, Alternate to the State Sunday School Convention, at Georgetown this week.

A special sermon will be preached to the Good Samaritan Lodge I. O. O. F., of Middletown, at St. Paul's M. E. Church by Rev. J. H. Gray on Sunday morning, April 30.

A series of Sermons were begun Sunday evening last at St. Paul's M. E. Church by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Gray. The subjects are: April 23, Joseph, The Dreamer; April 30, Sunshine and Shadow; May 7, The Dreamer Forgotten; May 14, From the Prison to the Throne; May 21, The Story of the Silver Goblet; June 4, Memories of Home; June 11, Children's Day Services; June 18, Forgiven; June 25, The Unseen Hand; July 2, A Happy Father; July 9, Martha, the Mistress of the House. The pastor will appreciate your presence and will extend to all a cordial welcome.

BLACKIRD

Mr. W. A. Watson, Jr., spent Friday in Wilmington.

Miss Jennie Reener, of Florida, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James A. Buckson.

Mrs. Ollie Pryor and two children, of Clayton, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Farries.

Miss Melba Marker spent over Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Marker, in Smyrna.

Miss Ethel Fenemore returned home on Monday, from a two week's visit with her cousin, Mrs. Harry M. Deakyne, in Townsend.

Mr. J. J. Marker, of near Townsend, spent last Friday in Wilmington.

Our Epworth League will be led on Sunday evening by Miss Ella Ferguson. The topic being "Help and Hindrance from Without."

CHESAPEAKE CITY

Rev. Mr. Lynde, of Oxford, filled the Presbyterian pulpit on Sunday.

Miss Fugan, of Delaware City, was a recent guest of Miss Lydia M. Pense.

Mr. Harry Titter and family, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Vesey Stradley.

Mr. James Polk Racine has returned after a pleasant visit to Wilmington friends.

Mr. Charles Schaefer, of Delaware City, visited her uncle, Mr. Joseph E. Schaefer, the past week.

A festival will be given by the pupils of the St. Augustine school on Wednesday, May 10th. All are invited.

Mr. George B. McKeown, of Delaware City, spent the past week with his father, Mr. John McKeown, in town.

Mr. A. Jefferson and sister, Miss Mary E. Boulden, have returned home, after spending the winter in Warren, Pa.

Miss Lena Lake was taken to the Union hospital on Wednesday, where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Grover Melbourne, of Soderville, and Mr. Bradford Bishop, of Wilmington, are visiting E. L. Bishop and family.

"Aurora Floyd", a high-class play will be presented to the public by a number of our leading town talents on Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 and 13th.

Mr. Norman Gill, of Philadelphia, and Miss Mary Bonson, of Middletown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar C. Ellison on Wednesday. Mr. Gill making the trip in his new "Mercer" Racer auto.

TOWNSEND

Mrs. W. A. Scott was in Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mr. W. Harman Reynolds was in Wilmington on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hart spent Sunday with their parents, near Odessa.

Miss Lena Statta, of Middletown, visited her sister, Mrs. Joseph Pitchford, on Sunday.

The "Sewing Circle" was entertained on Sunday at the home of Miss Mary Money, on Monday evening.

Mrs. Otto Marvel was entertained over Sunday at the home of Senator Marvel and family at Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Dyke spent Sunday with their son, Horace Van Dyke and family, of near Smyrna.

Mr. John Morris and two children, of Smyrna, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Morris, on Tuesday.

Master Frank Collins was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Daisy Collins, of Wilmington, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Knotts and friends, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, George Knotts and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee and son, and Mr. and Mrs. James Lee were the guests of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, of near Smyrna.

CECILTON

L. B. Manlove spent one day last week in town.

Mrs. G. W. Jones visited friends and relatives in town on Monday.

Mrs. W. Gary, of Kennedeville, has been visiting her father, Mr. James Smith.

Mrs. Ernest Mann, of Bedford, Indiana, and Mrs. John Storr, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. R. M. Black.

Arrived in town of the Battle Ship Georgia, spent a few days with relatives and friends in and out of town.

Earl Jones spent last Friday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Eddie Hadaway and Mrs. Sadie Thomas, of Baltimore, have been visiting Mr. Robert Black and Robert W. Black, who were delegates sent from Harmony Council to the Annual Convention of the O. U. A. M. at Frederick, Md. last week.

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Women Know Now

NOT so long ago little attention (we will say much less attention) was given to the corset. Now, women know that in a way all depends upon the corset. If the corset is not correct in design, perfect in fit, right in every respect, their appearance cannot be smart. The corset tells the story. Purchase the right model of the right make of corsets and you put yourself into the class of smart dressers. We might go further—Choose the right model of

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Style 242
Coutil, 18 80
\$2.00

Style 257
Batiste, 18 80
\$3.00

Style 508
Coutil, 18 28
\$5.00

J. B. MESSICK
MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE

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Middletown, Delaware

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East Main Street Market
DEALER IN
FANCY GROCERIES; DRY GOODS
AND NOTIONS

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Be sure to buy Good seed. We have them in Bulk or Package. Then too, there is Spring work for the housewife, such as cleaning and decorating the home with new floor covering, wall paper, window shades, etc.

Our line of Matting and Rugs is extra pretty this season. One rug, we have just gotten in is a 9x12 Daimyo rug, made from wool and fiber, strong and durable, at \$8.50. Then we have several patterns in Axminster and Velvet, small size. We are Agents for the Regina Vacuum Cleaner.

Just received a new lot of Dust-Down, which is a great help in keeping the house clear of dust and germs. Special attention is paid to our line of Groceries, Fruits and Vegetables.

Don't forget us when in need of something good in Coffee. We have twelve different blends. Try our Lord Calvert, at 35 cents; if not satisfied your money will be refunded cheerfully. Thanking you, for all past favors, we hope to serve you better this season than ever.

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AGENTS IN ALL THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS.

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Also all other kinds of licences, procured by me. Automobile, Merchant's and Manufacturers.

ALFRED G. COX,
Justice of the Peace

1911 TIME TABLE 1911



The Iron
STEAMER CLIO

Captain H. V. Woodall
WILL LEAVE

Odessa for Philadelphia

AND RETURN FROM

Arch. St. Wharf, Phila
AS PER TIME TABLE

ODESSA MAY

The Middletown Transcript

Mail Close as Follows.

Going North—7:35 a. m., 10:05 a. m., 4:05 p. m.
Going South—8 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 4:05 p. m.
For Odessa—10:00 a. m., 3:30 p. m., 11:30 a. m., 4:45 p. m.
For Newark, Cecilton and Eariville 9:30 a. m., and 4:45 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., APRIL 29, 1911

LOCAL NEWS

Spring at last.
Wheat looking fine.
The strawberry crop will be late.
Wagons and Dearborns for sale.

J. C. GREEN.

Dr. J. Allen Johnson will examine your teeth and give estimate without charge.

WANTED.—Two good work horses for sale.

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FOR RENT.—Stable East Main St.

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Eggs \$1.00 per setting.

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The few warm spring days have made a wonderful improvement in the looks of the wheat and pasture fields in this community.

WANTED—Cattle to pasture after May 1st, at \$1.00 per month. Address

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If you are in need of Cotton Seed Meal, Bran, Sterene Dairy Feed, Sucrose Horse Feed or Blatchford's Calf Meal, you can get any or all of these from Middletown Farms, Inc.

We have stored in our warehouse at Middletown and Bear, Del., Fertilizer for all Spring Crops by bag or ton, also seed oats. Send your order and teams.

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Phone 5-48

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post office for the week ending April 20th: Miss Isa Cottaham, Mrs. Lora Ginnon, Mrs. Thos. Warren and William N. Williams.

The Salvation Army with a wagon through Middletown and Odessa, collecting old literature, clothing, old shoes and old carpet sometime between Friday, May 5th and Monday, May 8th.

We are taking orders for WINTER COAL for April Delivery at the lowest price during the year. WILBUR LEHIGH Guaranteed FREE FROM DIRT. Always in stock.

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At a meeting of the Sunday School Association of Forest Presbyterian Church held last Sunday, Miss Eugenie Biggs was elected delegate, and Miss Emma Kelley, alternate to the State Sunday School Convention held in Georgetown this week.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., held a memorial service in their lodge room on Thursday evening, in memory of their deceased brother, the late William D. King. Addresses were made by Rev. Vaughan S. Collins and Rev. J. H. Gray, of Odessa.

Dr. Charles A. Ritchie received this week a new "E. M. F." 1911 automobile. This is the second "E. M. F." the doctor has owned, and if the new arrival gives as universal satisfaction as the one just disposed of, the doctor will be pleased with his new purchase.

The Rev. J. H. Gray, pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, in Odessa, will preach a special sermon, Sunday morning, to several secret organizations. Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., Damon Lodge, No. 12, K. of P., and Seneca Tribe, No. 44, Imp. Order of R. E. Men, of this town, will go to Odessa and hear the sermon.

Members and friends of Old Drawers, Presbyterian Church are working and planning to buy a new organ. Andrew Carnegie has signed his willingness to give one-half the amount necessary for the purchase, if the friends of the church will provide the other half. This, they think they can do, as they have already several hundred dollars saved for the organ fund.

The building recently vacated by The TRANSCRIBER, on Broad Street, is being improved by the addition of a front veranda, which will prove a great convenience to Mr. J. W. Skinner, the new merchant. A new brick pavement will also replace the old one in front of his store and extend around the drug store of J. G. Bragdon and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Williams.

A Kentucky Belle

The Ladies of the Middletown Public Library, who have by their energy and wit, made a permanent success of that useful institution, wishing to add to their never too plentious exchequer, purpose giving on Friday evening next, May 5th, at 8 o'clock a delightful little play presented by our talented ladies and gentlemen with whom acting the public are already acquainted. It is styled "A Kentucky Bell," and nobody who enjoys a good laugh and wishes to help a worthy public cause, will miss it.

Come out on mass all ye friends and librarians of the ladies.

An Auto-Cycle Globe Trotter

Mrs. Smith, a young agent selling auto-goods flew into town, on Tuesday, about an Excelsior Auto-cycle, that had burned out its platinum-iridium points and so was forced to see Dr. Shadwick. He was en route to his home in Philadelphia, and came from New Orleans, and is finishing a journey of 18000 miles astride that liver-racking-rig-a-majig! He carried behind him two suit cases—one for clothing and the other for samples.

MIDDLETOWN'S CRACK NAG

"R. T. C." in Quest of New Laurels on the Racing Turf

New laurels for Middletown as a fine horse flesh center! "R. T. C." the sorrel gelding sold for over \$5000.00 last Summer by Mr. Willard B. Biggs to a purchaser in Columbus, Ohio, is already aspiring after new honors, having been entered in the 2 1/4 class of the "Paper Mills" \$10,000.00 estate, in the racing events scheduled for Kalamazoo, Michigan.

"R. T. C." was foaled in 1902 by Prince March, owned by Mr. C. Malcom Cochran, and whose record is 213. "Prince March" is out of the dam Miss Nellie, by Nut Brown Prince, whose dam was Brownson out of Legates, with a long and first class pedigree on both sides of both parents.

"R. T. C." was bred by Mr. Dao M. Cochran who yet owns his mother, Mrs. Nellie, besides four other promising colts, one of which is a full brother to "R. T. C." His stands 15 1/2 hands high, and is the fastest trotter ever bred in Delaware. His rise to fame was sudden enough to be called romantic. After only seven workouts in 1909, he was put on the track, and at once made a record of 2 1/4. Inasmuch as his late owner, Mr. W. B. Biggs, drove him on the kite shaped track of Doctor McCoy at Kirkwood, so at once a pace of 2.09 is believed by knowing horsemen in this vicinity that "R. T. C." will give such a good account of himself as will cause those westerners to sit bolt upright and take the liveliest kind of notice of the big wonder come out of "Little Delaware."

BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

New Organization Want to Offer Special Inducements

The directors of the newly organized Board of Trade held their first meeting on Tuesday evening, with all the officers and members present.

Several important matters were thoroughly discussed, and if the directors continue to show the same interest in the movement to do something for the advancement of Middletown as characterized their first meeting, the efforts of Mr. William E. Wright and others who were instrumental in forming the local organization will be much rewarded.

The possibility of establishing a broom factory here as discussed in THE TRANSCRIBER last week, was talked over, and Mr. J. L. Shepherd was instructed to investigate the matter. Mr. W. S. Leatherbury was appointed a committee of one to interview Mr. Louis Topicis of Wilmington, who has expressed desire to establish a shift factory here. Mr. Leatherbury was also instructed to arrange a joint meeting with the members of the Town Commissioners, the Light and Water Commissioners and the Board of Trade.

The object of this meeting will be to learn what inducements the town officials

will permit the Board of Trade to offer prospective manufacturers; and to talk over some other local improvement.

PERSONALS

Miss Lena Weber spent Saturday in Wilmington.

Mrs. F. H. Moore was in Philadelphia on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jesse L. Shepherd was in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. John C. Green is spending several days in Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. J. Pennington is slowly improving after a very severe illness.

Miss Anna R. Lawson spent last Sunday with relatives in Elmer.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. C. Stites are spending the week at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. William B. Kates spent Wednesday in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mrs. L. M. Watkins, of Philadelphia, is the guest of the Misses Denney.

Mr. John Pike, of Chester, Pa., spent Wednesday with Mrs. Isaac Taylor.

Miss Ella Wilson, of Dover, was an over Sunday guest of Miss Mollie Wilson.

Mr. John E. Ginn who has been confined to his room for several days is improving.

Miss May McFaul attended the wedding of her sister at Farmington, on Wednesday.

The guests at the "surprise" were Mrs. John Welch of Georgetown, Md., a sister of the groom-elect, Mrs. Carl Harrington of Broomesville, Mrs. Julian Cochran, Mrs. Julian Foard, Mrs. Dorsey Lewis, Mrs. Henry S. Brady, Miss Dora Price, Miss Helen Brady, Miss Suzy Foard, Miss Bessie Cochran, Miss Patton Cochran, Miss Elizabeth Lindsey, Miss Mary Nowland, Miss Eliza Green, and Miss Charlotte Feverley.

Mrs. and Mrs. Grant Bowtham, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Price.

Mr. William Johnson, of Farmington, spent from Tuesday until Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kates.

Mr. A. Fogel is spending this week in New York, buying more stock for the Fogel and Burstan Department store.

Miss Jean Metten has returned home after a visit of several weeks with her sister, Miss Bertha Metten in Wilmington.

Mrs. Leonhart, Miss Ratledge, R. D. Ratledge, J. H. Vining.

Reading.....Selected

Chorus.....Miss Kum-Pay.

Chorus.....Yum Tree

Marion Vinyard, Grace Williams, Bessie Denny, Albert Jolls.

Duet.....Two Juveniles

Misses Banning and Foraker.

Solo.....The Rosary

Bessie Denney.

Quartette.....The Golden Rule

Mrs. Leonhart, Miss Ratledge, R. D. Ratledge, J. H. Vining.

Reading.....Selected

Chorus.....Sweet Red Roses

Marian Vinyard and Grace Williams.

Recitation.....Selected

Miss Denny

Duet.....With Wind and Tide

Misses Denny and Jolls.

Quartette.....Selected

Mr. Leonhart, Miss Ratledge, R. D. Ratledge, J. H. Vining.

Duet.....Charge of the Uhlans

Misses Byron and Jolls.

Chorus.....Rosie

Mariam Vinyard, Grace Williams, Bessie Denny, Albert Jolls.

Chorus.....Delaware

Misses Banning and Jolls.

Solo.....Selected

Marian Vinyard.

Trio.....The Charlatan

Misses Denney, Byron, Jolls.

Solo.....Selected

Mrs. Victoria Wise.

Vocal Duet.....Sweet Red Roses

Marian Vinyard and Grace Williams.

Recitation.....Selected

Miss Denny

Duet.....Rockaby, Lullaby

Marian Vinyard and Grace Williams.

The following guests were present:

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jolls, Mr. and Mrs. Louis McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schuman, Mrs. T. V. Leonhart, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jolls, Mr. and Mrs. Minor Banning, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bryon, Mr. and Mrs. Horace C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. George Foraker, Mr. S. E. Kumpel, Mr. and Mrs. David T. S. Foraker, Misses Fannie Shepherd, Lizzie Shepherd, Mary Maloney, Eliza Horn, May Komel, Elsie Byrd, Edna Banning, Bessie Foraker, Anna Denney, Lottie Jolls, Bessie Denny, Marian Vinyard, Grace Williams, Sarah Kate, Clara Gallagher, Lelia Pearce, Misses Daniel Stevens, Elwood Banning, Frank Postals, Harry Vinyard, Robert Ratledge, Fred Bloom, of Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Scott, of Clayton; Mrs. Annie Wise and Florence Wise, of West Chester; Mr. and Mrs. William Carey, of McDonough; Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Grouch, Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kuehnl, Mr. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coleman, of Smyrna; Mr. Robert Hollett, of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Edward, of Millington; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Malone, Miss Lulu Williams, Sarah Boulden, Cinderella Whitlock, Sarah Kate, Clara Gallagher, Lelia Pearce, Misses Daniel Stevens, Elwood Banning, Frank Postals, Harry Vinyard, Robert Ratledge, Fred Bloom, of Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Scott, of Clayton; Mrs. Annie Wise and Florence Wise, of West Chester; Mr. and Mrs. William Carey, of McDonough; Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Grouch, Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kuehnl, Mr. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coleman, of Smyrna; Mr. Robert Hollett, of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Edward, of Millington; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Malone, Miss Lulu Williams, Sarah Boulden, Cinderella Whitlock, Sarah Kate, Clara Gallagher, Lelia Pearce, Misses Daniel Stevens, Elwood Banning, Frank Postals, Harry Vinyard, Robert Ratledge, Fred Bloom, of Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Scott, of Clayton; Mrs. Annie Wise and Florence Wise, of West Chester; Mr. and Mrs. William Carey, of McDonough; Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Grouch, Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newell, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Kuehnl, Mr. Charles Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coleman, of Smyrna; Mr. Robert Hollett, of Clayton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Edward, of Millington; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Malone, Miss Lulu Williams, Sarah Boulden, Cinderella Whitlock, Sarah Kate, Clara Gallagher, Lelia Pearce, Misses Daniel Stevens, Elwood Banning, Frank Postals, Harry Vinyard, Robert Ratledge, Fred Bloom, of M

A Young Man's Record

BY JEANNE OLIVE LOIZEAUX

When a young man has been in love for a year, when he has been blushingly told to "ask papa," when he has asked for an interview that he may do that same, when he has no reason to believe that "papa" favors him, when the moment for that interview is at hand—well! That young man would rather charge up San Juan hill five times than knock at the library door and face the within. But for the girl bracing him he might leave the house bareheaded.

Harrison Forrest, twenty-three years old, late of Harvard, athletic, baseball, swimming, some thoughts of law, good family, good fellow and intending to settle down and leave wild oats behind him—that is the young man!

Miss Prue Wilson, twenty, daughter of Bunker Wilson, very much in love, afraid of her dignified father, not a bit afraid of her mother, hoping dad will consent, but afraid he won't, in which case it is suicide, cheeks scarlet, heart going pit-a-pat—that is the young woman!

It is the crises of two lives and no earthquake can postpone it.

Mr. Forrest knocks at the library door. Mr. Wilson bids him enter and he is lost to the view of the girl in the hall. According to precedent she should rush back to the parlor and sit down and shiver and tremble and recall her "Now I lay me down to sleep," but—she does nothing of the sort.

Like a nice, sweet girl she advances to the library door and kneels down and applies her eyes to the keyhole to see and hear what is going on in that spot.

Mr. Wilson begins the young man as soon as his head stops swimming. I have asked for this interview to tell you that—

You needn't tell me, interrupts the banker, as he holds up a finger. I have it all up a finger!

And Mr. Wilson takes a manuscript from a drawer and says:

I have known for a long time what brought you to this house and have made something of an investigation, so as to be ready for you. It is by no means complete but I will read what I have:

Played football and was an oarsman in college. Was never perfect in a lesson. Had the reputation of being a slugger.

Came near being expelled on several occasions for pranks. Said pranks consisted in damaging property and slugging policemen, with tearing down lamp posts as a side issue.

Cleaned out one table d'hôte and two saloons in New York and was stabbed in the arm.

Ran away with a professor's auto and damaged it. Paid the damage, but guyed the professor.

Raised a row on a New Haven train.

Was the principal feature in an amateur boxing contest. Left his man insensible.

Saved a man in Boston from drowning, but slugged two policemen 15 minutes later.

Family well to do and respectable.

Young man may turn to law, or he may turn to the prize ring.

Laid to do on his mother, but was fined \$25 for robbing up a sidewalk at Fall River.

Mr. Wilson read that far and then laid the report aside, and looked at the young man for a long minute before saying:

And now you may go on with what you came in here to say.

That—that report is true, sir, was the reply in a trembling voice, but please don't believe me vicious. It was what they call exuberance of spirits. When you were a young man—

I was not troubled that way, Mr. Forrest!

But—but—

When do you enter the roped arena to meet all comers?

But I'm no slugger. All these things just happened so. I have put them all behind me.

Until you meet the next policeman! Mr. Forrest, you came to ask my consent to wed my daughter. I cannot give it.

But if I change—if I have changed—if I do not slug any more—if I am no longer troubled with exuberance of spirits—?

Please consider this interview at an end, Mr. Forrest. I hope for your mother's sake you will change.

And he gave his consent! whispered Miss Prue, who was waiting in the hall for her lover to reappear.

No, and he never will! He

FARM NEWS AND VIEWS

Stock breeding is an art. Droopy chicks usually means lice. Eggs may be fertile and yet not hatch well.

Wheat leads all grains as a well balanced poultry food.

Eggs for hatching should be gathered at frequent intervals.

A suitable place for storing eggs intended for hatching is necessary.

Thorously compact the soil about the seeds, and so hasten germination.

There is as much in the feed and management of poultry as in the breed.

The nearer we can keep pigs of the same together, the better they will feed.

The profit to be made on lambs depends much upon the care of the ewes before lambing.

Although a large sheep may sell for more than a small one, it also costs more to rear it.

Better have a small flock reared in comfort and all good, than a large flock and only a few good.

The incubator is always broody—all it is the attention of the operator to start the hatch.

Make friends of your turkeys, so far as you can, and it will aid you considerably in caring for them.

Hurry along the tomatoes by trimming to one stem, and when the third cluster has formed cut off the top.

Men of experience hold that more money can be made by breeding older ewes, as stronger lambs are more profitable.

Keeping the drinking vessels clean and therefore free from disease germs will often prevent sickness among chickens.

One of the best foods for sitting hens is whole corn or corn chaff, together with green food, grit and fresh water.

One good thing to remember in the raising of onions is that the gardener does not necessarily have to go to a warm climate. Remember that rows which run north and south allow the sun's rays to reach both sides of the plant—a distinct advantage.

A little shelled corn mixed in with the ground food will feed your horses well to keep them from swallowing their food too fast.

One of the principal advantages of having poultry and fruit together is that there is not a rush at one season and a rest at another.

Bring up this year's flocks of chicks in fresh-air coops and houses. You will have better chickens and less trouble from colds next fall.

If sitters foul their nests or break eggs in them, clean up balance of the eggs by washing with lukewarm water and change the nesting material.

The requirements of the dairy cow are good, wholesome food, regularity in feeding and milking, good care and treatment and plenty of open-air exercise.

Topdress the asparagus bed with bone-meal and nitrate of soda. These are better than barnyard manure, as they do not introduce nearly so many weed seeds.

The value of alfalfa in comparison with prairie hay or cane is higher when fed to cattle that are to be sold in the spring than when fed to cattle that are to be sold in the fall.

There is no poultry meat that comes so near the flavor of game birds as the guinea fowl and for this reason it is growing more and more in favor as a market bird.

Don't dose your chickens.

Don't get too large a setting for the hen.

Keep your hen houses dry and secure from the damp winds.

Be sure your hen actually wants to mother a flock before you set her.

The almost universal practice now is to disinfect eggs before hatching.

Place orders for eggs for hatching early and you'll save time and money.

Too many are in the habit of setting hens in the shed with the other chickens.

Nearly every farm house has out-buildings in which the setting hens can be put.

Some folks believe in leaving the hen entirely to herself after she has begun to set.

Water in which the chicken droppings have been steeped makes a fine liquid manure for the garden.

Start your hen to nest apart from an place frequented by the other chickens and your hatch will be more successful.

When the old hen gets a notion that she wants to set, it is about as fixed a purpose as man, or rather woman, deals with. A, once comfortable set, she does not want to be disturbed.

It is common knowledge nowadays among poulty-keepers that charcoal incense that make it to smoke as a corrective, or as a means of counteracting gassing trouble.

For thin clay soil sub-tiling is better than very deep plowing, because it does not turn the compact clay to the surface, yet at the same time loosens the soil to a good depth.

A simple dry manure may be made up of two parts of bran, two parts of shorts or middlings and one part of beef scrap. The grain can be fed morning and evening in a little of straw, thus compelling the birds to take plenty of exercise in hunting for their food. Nothing should be fed that is musty or foul in any way.

With plenty of clover, hens will require little feed so long as the growers last; but a few are very fond of this plant, they must be moved from place to place, if their numbers are very large, or the clover will be eaten off too clean.

Watch the breeding birds and make sure that they are keeping in good condition. Give an outdoor scratching place.

As soon as a crop appears above ground it needs cultivation, both to kill the weeds and to admit the air to the roots of the plants.

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